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## AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D. C. 20231

## Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated June 29, 2001 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

## Ín the Claims:

Claim 1 (amended). A method for data transmission in a communication system, which comprises:

using a transmitting station to transmit data in structured frames in a manner such that, in at least one continuous